

A Child's Question. She was sitting in the twilight, With her darling on her knee; And the little one was telling, In her happy childish glee...

COW DRINK! COW DRINK! For garble, maw bound, bloating and fevers, like fever and abortion preventive, just received and for sale by...

GUNS, PISTOLS, PERCUSSION CAPS, WADS, &c., at a further reduction in prices to close out. We have on hand the "Morino" Fire Wads, at 85 King, corner of Royal street.

SPORING GOODS, GUNS, &c.—We are now receiving our stock of Paper Shells, Guns, Primers, Wads, &c., to which we invite the attention of the public.

NEW PATENT ADJUSTABLE IRON PLANES—The subscribers have received a lot of the above Planes at such low prices, to which they invite attention at the southeast corner of King and Royal streets, at low prices.

THOMAS'S LIQUID BLUE. IN PAPER BOTTLES. Entirely free from acids, and guaranteed pure. The greatest quantity for the least money of any pure goods on the market.

PAINT YOUR OWN BUGGY—Just received the following new line of Colors: Olive Green, Ponceau, Esclaire, and Jet Coach Black.

NEW EASY LAWN MOWERS, Garden Hoes, Rakes, Trowels, Ladies' Garden Sets, Grass Cutters and all other reasonable goods at lowest cash prices.

FINE PERFUMERY. Something New. Blue Belle of Scotland, Trailing Arbutus, Tally Ho, Marechal Niel Rose and Alpine Violets.

THE CHRISTMAS TURKEY will be enjoyed more if there is a nice CARVEE and FORK for the host to carve with. We have them at all prices.

TRICYCLE, for girl or boy, steel wheels; manufacturer's price, \$15; offered, at \$7.50; new and in good order.

GLOVES! GLOVES!—A new assortment of the best Kid and Dogskin, best tanned back, lined and unlined, received this day.

HOME-MADE CASSIMERE—A large assortment of material to suit the times. An examination of them solicited.

KENTUCKY WHISKEY, three years old, \$2.50 per gallon; the best value we have ever seen.

IF YOU CANNOT SEE and cannot find any spectacles to suit you, go to HENRY WILDT's and have your eyes tested, and you will have no more trouble.

NATURAL COLOR LAMBS' WOOL SHIRTS and DRAWERS, soft as silk, and said not to shrink in washing. Call and see them.

SISAL AND JUTE FODDER YARN just received at 328 King street, for sale wholesale and retail.

A FIRST-RATE STOCKING FOR CHILDREN 6 to 8 1/2 ribbed; white feet and all colors, at 10c per pair.

EGG NOODLES, VERMICELLI, LENTILS, SPLENDID BRAND BARLEY, &c., by McBURNEY & SON.

BAKING POWDERS. ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness.

STEAMERS. INLAND AND SEABOARD COASTING COMPANY. GREATLY REDUCED RATES. FOR FORTRESS MONROE, NORFOLK AND CORNFIELD HARBOR.

FOR RIVER LANDINGS. The steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON will leave her wharf EVERY SUNDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 8 a. m.

FOR NEW YORK. Steamers leave New York from Old Dominion Steamship Company's pier 26 North river, EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 4 p. m.

CLYDE'S STEAM LINE WEEKLY TO PHILADELPHIA. Appointed sailing days from Alexandria, EVERY TUESDAY and from Philadelphia, EVERY SATURDAY.

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c. PURE DRUGS and MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS.

DEALERS IN DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES AND FANCY ARTICLES. Wholesale and Retail Dealer in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEEDS, &c.

NEW BUILDING, No. 604 King street. SAMUEL H. LUNT, DRUGGIST, CORNER KING AND FAIRFAX STREETS.

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RAILROADS. GREAT PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE 1887 TO THE NORTH, WEST AND SOUTH WEST. DOUBLE TRACK. STREET RAILS. SPLENDID SCENERY. MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT.

BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC RAILROAD. For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara 10.00 p. m. daily, except Saturday, with Palace Cars Washington to Rochester.

ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON RAILROAD AND ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON RAILROAD. For Alexandria, 6.00, 6.35, 8.40, 9.47, and 10.57 a. m., 12.04 noon, 2.05, 4.25, 5.00, 6.01, 6.30, 8.05, 10.05 and 11.37 p. m.

REICHMOND AND DANVILLE R. R. CO. CONDENSED SCHEDULE, IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 4th, 1887. TRAINS RUN BY 75th MERIDIAN TIME.

MANASSAS BRANCH. EASTWARD, Daily, except Sunday. WESTWARD, Daily, except Sunday.

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CAPITAL STOCK, \$625,000. NUMBER OF SHARES, 625,000, OF \$1 EACH. FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE.

OFFICERS. President, Hon. W. P. CANADAY, Washington, D. C. Secretary, WILLIAM S. ODELL, Washington, D. C. Vice President, J. Q. BARTON, Mare Island Navy Yard, Cal. Treasurer, Hon. JOHN B. SHIPMAN, Washington, D. C. General Manager, CHAS. W. CUNNINGHAM, Hackberry, Arizona.

The capital stock of this company is \$625,000, divided into 625,000 shares of \$1 each. The company is incorporated under the laws of West Virginia, and the stock is non-assessable, and carries with it no personal liability to the holder.

THE GOLD MINING COMPANY (location Music Mountains, A. T.) is as sound a mining enterprise as was ever placed on the market, and its possibilities have never been exceeded. Every share should double in value within a year, and they may quadruple, as they are based on property that would ordinarily have been capitalized ten (10) times as great on account of its known richness and promise.

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The solid basis upon which the company is founded and the practical proofs of the richness of the mine have already secured the confidence of the public, and the stock has steadily advanced in selling value. Within the last few days bona fide sales have been made AT PAR.

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